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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action of the United States Patent and Trademark Office dated November 20, 2006, the time for response to which extending to and including February 20, 2007, Applicants respectfully submits the following revisions and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.